

MASSING TROOPS IN WARSAW FRAY

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HEAVY FIGHTING ON BUG

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Paris, Aug. 9.—The battle which is expected to decide the fate of Warsaw, has not yet really begun, according to the latest news reaching Paris. But both sides are gathering forces for the final struggle.

General Haller's newly formed army occupies a strongly entrenched position in the fort between the Narew and the Bug rivers, where an army was able to block the approach upon Warsaw of a numerically superior enemy, as was demonstrated in the Napoleonic campaign in 1807, and during the Russo-Polish in 1831.

In the opinion of military observers, the principal danger for the Poles is the advance along the Prussian frontier, because it would force them to extend their front westward, when they need to keep their army concentrated as much as possible east of Warsaw. The Poles thus far have been able to ignore this advance, which is merely a demonstration, but it is considered likely that the Red staff will avoid battle in the fort until stronger forces can be pushed toward Malawa.

Heavy fighting continues on the 80-mile front along the middle Bug, between Vladimir, Volynsk and Droychn. North of Brest-Litovsk the Russians have obtained a footing on the left bank of the river. South of Brest-Litovsk, the Poles command both banks of the river. On the Serezh river and the Galician frontier, the situation remained unchanged.

Reds Sleeping Forward.

New York, Aug. 9.—(Summary of Polish situation by the Associated Press.)—Russian Bolshevik attacks apparently have broken the Polish lines near the East Prussian frontier, and Soviet cavalry patrols have swept forward in a great encircling movement north of Warsaw. In the center of the Polish front the Soviet armies also seem to have torn a great gap in the defenses of Warsaw.

Prasmyz, a city 41 miles north of Warsaw, has been occupied by the advance guards of the Bolsheviks. The city, which has passed on and are reported to be approaching Malawa, to the west, and Ciechanow, to the southwest. The loss of Prasmyz is admitted in an official statement issued in Warsaw last night, and it would seem that the Soviet horsemen are advancing almost without serious opposition.

On Friday the Bolsheviks were reported fighting the Poles near Myszyz, near the East Prussian border. Where they broke through is not known, but it appears they have gained at least 10 miles in the last three days. Polish troops have been withdrawing their lines east of Malawa, which is situated on the railroad line running from Warsaw to Danzig. It is believed they will make a desperate effort to prevent the capture of this city by Soviet armies.

Coincident with the Bolshevik advance on the north, the Polish lines from south of Ostrow to west of Brest-Litovsk have been forced back. Soviet troops have forced their way into Sokolow and are reported to be fighting east of Siedlce. The Bolsheviks are also said to have taken Piszczas, west of Brest-Litovsk.

Further south there has been serious fighting, and important successes are claimed by the Bolsheviks.

Great Britain and France are prepared to take instant decision against the Bolsheviks as consequence of the latter's refusal to grant Premier Lloyd George's request for a ten-day truce with the Poles. Mr. Lloyd George conferred with Premier Millerand of France at Hythe, England, yesterday and heads of the British army and navy were closeted with Marshal Foch of France at the same place until early this morning.

Polish contingents will cross the fighting zone east of Warsaw late today on their way to Minsk, where they will begin armistice and peace negotiations. The conference at Minsk will begin on Wednesday, according to present plans.

Waiting for Other's Decisions.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Despite commitment of the United States government to a plan of action in the Polish crisis continued to be held in abeyance today while word was being received of the decision of France and Great Britain to impose a blockade upon Soviet Russia in an effort to rescue the Poles.

The note dispatched by the Polish government to the United States has not been received here as yet, either by the Polish legation or the state department. It was stated, however, by officials that the government was continuing in constant communication with France and Great Britain and that the situation was occupying the almost exclusive attention of officials of the government concerned with foreign affairs.

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Democratic Vice Presidential Nominee Urges Ratification of Pact in Acceptance Speech

BIG CROWDS ATTEND

Tammany Sends Delegation of 500 Men and Women From New York to Witness Event

Hyde Park, Aug. 9.—Before a crowd of several thousand persons, who stood for nearly two hours under a sweltering August sun, Franklin D. Roosevelt, in an address formally accepting the Democratic nomination for vice president here today, urged ratification of the peace treaty, which will make it a real treaty, for a real peace must include a league of nations. "The league of nations," he asserted, "is a practical solution of a practical situation. It is no more perfect than our original constitution, which has been amended eighteen times and will soon we hope be amended the nineteenth, was perfect. It is not anti-national; it is anti-war."

"Through it we may with nearly every other duly constituted government in the whole world throw our moral force and our potential power into the pale of peace. That such an object should be contrary to American policy is unthinkable; but if there be any citizen who has honest fears that it may be prevented from its plain intent so as to conflict with our established form of government, it will be simple to declare to him and to other nations that the constitution of the United States is in every way supreme."

Mr. Roosevelt's declaration that the war was but half won with the victory of the armed forces and that he looked forward to "the international settlement which will make it unnecessary to send again two million men across the sea," was greeted with prolonged cheers. The crowd also apparently enjoyed his attack on the Republican senators, frequently interrupting him with such expressions as "a boy, Frank, hit him again," "Sic 'em," "That's the stuff," and "Give it to them strong."

Reject French Offer.

Paris, Aug. 9.—The Polish general staff has definitely rejected the offer of General Weygand of the French army to take command of the Polish army if granted full authority, according to today's report from the Anglo-French mission in Warsaw.

Both General Weygand and General Delma Radcliffe of the British military mission, have been insisting that the situation could be retrieved if their recommendations were carried out. The suggestions of Generals Weygand and Radcliffe included regrouping of the Polish forces and strategic movements. It is also known that 500 picked French officers composing the Warsaw mission have found it difficult to exercise whatever authority apparently has been allowed them by the Poles.

The Polish general staff is composed of officers with Austrian, Russian and German training, and is therefore not only not united in military theories, but is also at variance with Generals Weygand and Radcliffe.

The Allied leaders also failed to win President Pilsudski's support for their program, and consequently were unable to get him to bring his influence to bear on the general staff.

All Foreign Legations Move.

Warsaw, Aug. 8.—All foreign legations in Warsaw left for Posen tonight on a special train. John Campbell White, secretary, and J. Pierre-mont Mofart, third secretary of the American legation, and the military attaches will remain in Warsaw for the present, but the rest of the personnel left on the special last night.

The only American women remaining in Warsaw are a few Red Cross nurses and some Y. M. C. A. workers.

Will Reimpose Russian Blockade.

Hythe, England, Aug. 9.—The Allied conference here reached a complete agreement this afternoon on plans for dealing with the Russo-Polish crisis. They include the reimposition of the blockade, but on the advice of the experts no Allied troops will be employed. The plans are subject to the approval of the British parliament, which Premier Lloyd George will address tomorrow.

The conference of the premiers ended at 4 p. m.

It is probable, if the plans are approved, that they will not go into effect until the preliminary results of the meeting at Minsk between the Soviet and Polish negotiators are known. If these indicate a willingness by the Russians to adopt a course considered reasonable in dealing with the Poles, the Allied aid may be withheld.

The British government has decided that the Russian mission may remain in London until the Minsk conference is concluded.

URGES SUFFRAGE STATE.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 9.—The Tennessee legislature meeting extra-ordinarily on the federal suffrage amendment, today heard Governor Roberts urge prompt ratification and then adjourned until tomorrow without introduction of the ratification resolution. Neither house was in session more than an hour.

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Lombardy, with a population of about 5,000,000 leads the way with 22,542 drinking places, the figures show. Piedmont follows her closely while the province of Rome, which in 1911 had a population of less than 1,500,000, has no less than 8,127 drinking places. Less intoxicants are consumed in the south, in the Island of Sardinia and in Umbria than in any other regions.

Many other interesting features of Italian life are revealed by the Annual. The death rate of illegitimate children, for instance, is shown to be 40 per cent greater than that of those born legitimately. Tuberculosis is said to have shown an increase, 50,000 of the 720,000 deaths in one year being attributed to that malady.

While Italy has no regular Poor Law, some of its 28,614 charitable institutions, with a capital of about \$425,000,000, date from the Middle Ages and provide for more than 1,000 hospitals, 17 lunatic asylums, 82 orphanages, 21 night refuges, 16 food kitchens and about 190 refugees for deserted children. The statistics say that in Italy annually 200,000 children are abandoned by their parents.

Italy has more than 120,000 elementary schools, with 76,000 teachers and about 4,000,000 students, although about 48 per cent of the Italian people, especially in the south, are reported illiterate. Piedmont, in the north, has only 17 per cent, the smallest number of illiterates. School enrollment shows 70,000 normal and complementary students; 62,500 in the gymnasiums; 15,000 in the lycées; 130,000 in technical schools; 29,000 in technical institutes; 22,000 in schools of mineralogy; 12,000 in industrial and commercial schools; about 3,000 in art schools; 4,200 in musical schools and institutes; 4,000 in boarding schools and 40,000 in the universities. For the latter there are about 1,056 professors; 2,200 teachers and 400 employees.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels, Governor Smith, Chairman George White, of the Democratic National committee, William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury; Norman E. Mack, Democratic National committee man from New York; former Governor Martin H. Glynn, Abram I. Elkus, former ambassador to Turkey; Assemblyman "Marty" McCue and Byron Newton, collector of the port of New York, were among the prominent national and state figures who attended the exercises.

Tammany Delegation Attends.

One of the unique features of the celebration was the presence of a Tammany delegation of 500, including 150 women, who arrived on a special train from New York. Charles F. Murphy, Tammany chieftain, sent word that he was unable to attend, but many of his lieutenants were on hand. Mr. Roosevelt's early political successes are attributed by his friends to his opposition to Tammany, but apparently past differences were forgotten today in the desire to present a united front in the coming campaign.

Mr. Roosevelt closely followed his manuscript and was listened to with intense interest. Three or four times during the course of his speech, his voice was drowned out by the noise of an airplane, which soared overhead, and he was forced to pause until it had flown away.

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BOSTON FITCHERS HIT HARD.

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First game: R H E Cincinnati 11 10 10 10-10 10 6 Boston 5 6 6 6 10-5 2
Batteries—Luque, Ring and Wingo, Allen; McQuillan, Dock, Pietrotti, Rudolph and Gowdy.

Second game: R H E Cincinnati 6 3 0 0 2 0-8 14 2 Boston 2 9 1 0 0 0-2 9 1
Batteries—Fisher and Wingo, Fillingim and O'Neal.

GIANTS SHUTOUT PIRATES.

Rivals for Third Place in National Race Are Blanked by New York.

New York, Aug. 9.—The New York Giants today shutout Pittsburgh, their rivals for third place, 9 to 0. Pittsburgh 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 7 3 New York 9 3 0 0 0 0 6-9 9 0
Batteries—Cooper and Haeffner, Neff and Snyder.

ALEXANDER HOODOO GONE.

Cubs' Twirler Falls to Foll Dodgers and Letter Win From Chicago, 6-5.

Brooklyn, Aug. 9.—Brooklyn kept its precarious lead today when it broke the Alexander hoodoo that has prevailed all season and beat Chicago, 6 to 5. Up to today, Alexander had won three straight from the Dodgers. With two on bases in the eighth, Alexander passed Konetchy to catch Killduff. The latter doubled to the right field fence, scoring three runs. Killduff smashed a finger in the second and will be out of the game some time.

Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 2 0-5 11 1 Brooklyn 6 5 5 5 5 5 6-6 9 2
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THIRTY-FOUR PLAYERS NEEDED

Ten Pitchers Participated in Opening Game of Philadelphia-St. Louis Series.

Philadelphia, Aug. 9.—Thirty-four players figured in today's opening game of the Philadelphia-St. Louis series, won in the seventh inning by the visitors, 12 to 10. North, the tenth pitcher to appear on the scene, drove home the winning run with a single. Philadelphia obtained a five run lead in the first inning, but could not hold it. St. Louis 0 0 0 0 10 20-12 15 1 Philadelphia 12 10 10 10 10 20-20 2
Batteries—Sherdel, Goodwin, Jacobs, May, North and Dillhoefer; Causey, Ensmann, Hubbell, Rixey, Smith and Truesdell.

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Detroit Scores Enough Runs in Seventh to Beat Philadelphia, 5-2.

Detroit, Aug. 9.—Detroit batsmen drove Naylor from the box and scored enough runs in the seventh inning to win today's game from Philadelphia, 5 to 2.

R H E Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 2-2 7 2 Detroit 5 2 2 2 2 2 5-10 3
Batteries—Naylor, Keefe, Moore and Perkins; Ayres and Mannion.

MORTON WILD; YANKS WIN.

New York Takes Advantage of Pitchers' Weakness and Defeats Cleveland.

Cleveland, Aug. 9.—New York won the first game of the series with Cleveland, 6 to 3, taking advantage of Morton's weakness and Cleveland's errors. Babe Ruth was passed three times. He fouled out once and hit an easy grounder to first base. Smith of Cleveland made a home run and a double for the locals.

New York 4 0 0 0 1 1 0 0-6 7 6 Cleveland 2 9 1 0 0 0 0 0-2 9 3
Batteries—Shawkey and Ruhl; Morton, Clark, O'Neal and Numamaker.

RED SOX COME FROM BEHIND.

Boston Batsmen Take Advantage of Davis' Weakness and Beat St. Louis.

St. Louis, Aug. 9.—Davis weakened in the ninth inning after holding Boston to three hits and Boston tied the score on three successive doubles, winning from St. Louis in the eleventh, when Meyers' single scored Zitt from second. The score was 5 to 4.

Boston 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1-5 9 2 St. Louis 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0-4 8 0
Batteries—Jones and Walters; Schang, Davis and Severeid.

WHITE SOX WIN DOUBLE.

Chicago Moves Into Second Place by Winning Two Games of Senators.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Chicago moved up into second place today by winning both games of a double header with Washington, 3 to 2 and 5 to 4.

Score, first game: Washington 3 0 0 0 0 1 0 1-2 4 2 Chicago 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-3 5 1
Batteries—Shaw and Gharriety; Cicotte and Sobalk.

Score, second game: Washington 0 0 0 2 1 1 0 0-4 8 1 Chicago 0 0 1 1 1 0 2 0-5 6 0
Batteries—Courtney and Picinich; Williams and Schalk.

EASTERN LEAGUE

Bridgeport, 8; New Haven, 4. Worcester, 7; Springfield, 1. Hartford, 4; Pittsfield, 2. Hartford, 3; Pittsfield, 2, (second game). Albany, 6; Waterbury, 3.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Indianapolis, 10; Kansas City, 3. St. Paul-Columbus, rain. Louisville, 1; Minneapolis, 0. Toledo, 11; Milwaukee, 5.

CUBS CLEAN UP WALTON

HAVE EASY TIME TRODING DELAWARE COUNTY ROYS, 10 TO 4.

Oncontans Bat Adams Hard and in Errorless Game Carry Home the Series.

Weldman's Cubs easily outplayed the Walton nine at that Delaware county village yesterday and came home last night with the bacon, the final score being 10 to 4 in their favor. The game was a fast one and a pretty one to watch, being entirely free from errors and hotly contested, the Walton boys making every effort to catch up with their opponents.

The Cubs started things the first time they came to bat and through the generosity of Adams, Walton hurler, who gave the Cubs seven free trips to first base in all, brought in three tallies. Duvall, first up, was walked and went to second when Reiter was hit by a pitched ball. The bases were filled when Kibbe walked. Marone, the next man up, struck out. D. D. Brown then came to the pan and selecting one of Adams' offerings

clouted it out for a two bagger, scoring all three men on bases. The eventful inning closed with Sullivan flying out and blowers being thrown out at first.

The locals scored again in the third, Sullivan's single bringing in Marone, who had walked to first and stole second. After that the tallies seemed to come in three again, the Cubs scoring three runs in both the seventh and ninth innings. Kibbe was credited with a home run in the seventh, when he hit to leftfield and before the Waltonites had found the ball in the grass Kibbe had reached home. Duvall, who had singled, coming in ahead of him.

The Delaware county boys brought in their quota of runs in the second and eighth rounds. In the second, Fitcher Adams clouted out a three bagger that brought in two men, and in the eighth White's double sacker did the trick.

Duba was on the mound for the Cubs and pitched a good game, also being given good support. The game was remarkably well played throughout and was a clean victory for the Oncontans.

Following is the box score:

ONEONTA CUBS—(10)	AB	R	H	PO	E
Duvall, 2b.	3	1	2	5	0
Reiter, 3b.	3	2	1	2	0
Kibbe, cf.	2	1	1	0	0
Marone, 1b.	4	2	1	11	0
Brown, lf.	5	0	2	3	0
Sullivan, ss.	4	0	2	0	2
Blowers, rf.	5	0	0	0	0
Boylan, c.	3	0	0	7	0
Duba, p.	3	1	1	2	0
Totals	33	10	9	27	11

WALTON—(4)

AB	R	H	PO	E
Loneragan, 2b.	2	1	0	0
Ehrhardt, lf.	4	0	0	0
Miller, 1b.	4	0	1	0
McNeish, ss.	4	1	1	0
White, 3b.	4	1	2	4
Azzoli, rf.	4	1	1	0
Sweeney, cf.	4	0	1	0
Flynn, c.	4	0	0	7
Adams, p.	4	0	1	0
Totals	34	4	7	23

*Kinch batted for Sweeney in ninth but was thrown out at first.

Summary—Two base hits, Brown, White. Three base hits, Adams, Home run, Kibbe. Stolen bases, Marone, McNeish. Sacrifice hit, Kibbe. First base on balls, off Adams 7, off Duba 2. Struck out, by Adams 4, by Duba 2. Double play, Adams to White to McNeish. Hit by pitcher, Reiter.

Cortland Trims Cubs, 8 to 2.

Kinnere was on the mound for the Cubs at Cortland Sunday, but seemed unable to hold his opponents, who got several hits off his offerings and brought in a total of eight runs to the Oncontans' two. The game was loosely played throughout and the Cubs didn't have the ghost of a show. In the last two innings, however, they made a good rally and brought across a runner in both the eighth and ninth. The Cortland nine got after their opponents the first thing and had the game on ice in the early innings, getting all their runs in the first three innings.

The score by innings was as follows:

ONEONTA CUBS	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Cortland	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0

COOPERSTOWN TEAM DEFEATED

Dorr S. Hickey Pitches First Game of Season and Milford Wins, 8-4.

Milford, Aug. 9.—With one victory over Cooperstown already to their credit, Milford took the second game at Wilber park Saturday afternoon by the score of 8 to 4. The game was an interesting one to watch, despite the fact that many errors were made. Dorr S. Hickey, who pitched his first game for the local boys this season, was in fine form and allowed but four hits. He helped win his own game by making two hits and catching a nice pop fly.

For the locals, Barney is credited with four hits: Baird and Hickey two each; Dibble, Bennett and Winnie, one each.

In the fourth inning, after two men were out, Johnson made a two-base hit for the visitors and scored when Bennett misjudged Whitaker's fly. In the eighth, after two men were out, Cortez reached first on a base on balls, and Avery, after having three strikes, reached first on a pass d ball. Both scored on passed balls. In the ninth, Whitaker made a three base hit, and after the next two had been retired, scored on Whitaker's hit to the pitcher.

Score by innings:

R H E
Cooperstown 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1-2 4 2
Milford 2 0 1 0 3 1 1 0-8 11 3
Batteries—Milford, Hickey and Thomas; Cooperstown, Webster and Withey. Two base hits, Barney, Hickey, Winnie, Peters and Johnson. Three base hits, Whitaker. Struck out by Hickey 7; by Webster 6. Base on balls off Hickey 5; off Webster 4. Hit by pitcher, by Webster 2. Umpire, Guy Aschraft.

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Maxwell roadster; Overland six-cylinder touring, with Continental motor; Overland light delivery; Saxon six-cylinder touring; Elcar four-passenger, six-cylinder, Continental motor, a dandy; Ford coupe, looks like new Ford touring car, dandy; Ford delivery truck. All at bargain prices. Cars in fine condition. Fred N. Van Wie.

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DUE TO FOREIGN NEWS

Pressure During Day Is So Great That Many Leaders Touched Lowest Figures of Year

New York, Aug. 9.—Development over the week-end in the foreign situation were responsible for another outpouring of stocks in today's market. Selling was in great volume and there was actual liquidation. The pressure on stocks was so great that many of the leaders touched the lowest figures of the year. Recoveries of one to four points were made before the session ended.

Rumors were circulated that loans were being called on pools and individuals whose collateral had been depreciated by the fall in quotations. Large inroads were made in the prices of the steels, equipments, shippings, oils, coppers, motors and dividend paying railroad stocks. Sterling exchange fell to 3.69½ and Continental bills were shaded 5 to 40 points.

The extensive covering movement late in the day was accelerated by the rally in sterling and the easier conditions in the call money market. Bonds moved irregularly with some of the convertible issues falling sharply. Domestic and foreign government bonds were slightly lower. United States state bonds, were unchanged on call.

New York Produce.

Butter—Firm; receipts, 9,814; creamery, higher than extras, 55¢; 55½¢; creamery, extras (92 score), 54¢; 54½¢; creamery, firsts, (88 to 91 score), 51¢; 51½¢; state, dairy, finest tubs, 53½¢; 54¢; state, dairy, good to prime, 50¢; 53¢; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 44¢.

Eggs—Irregular; receipts, 13,738; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 51¢; 53¢; fresh gathered, firsts, 47¢; 50¢; state, Penna. and nearby western hennerly whites, firsts to extras, 60¢; 70¢; state, Penna. and nearby western hennerly browns, extras, 58¢; 60¢; state, Penna. and nearby gathered browns and mixed colors, firsts to extras, 48¢; 55¢.

Cheese—Irregular; receipts, 6,339; state, whole milk, flats, current make, white and colored, specials, 27½¢; 28½¢; do, average run, 25½¢; 26½¢; state, whole milk, twins, current make, specials, 26½¢; 27½¢; do, average run, 25¢; 26¢.

Rye—Easy; No. 2 western, \$2.30½. Live poultry—Weak; Broilers, by freight, 43¢; 45¢; broilers, by express, 42¢; 45¢; fowls, 36¢; old roosters, 24¢; turkeys, 35¢. Dressed poultry—Steady; western broilers, fresh, 42¢; 55¢; fowls, fresh, 26¢; 42¢; roosters, fresh, 26¢; 27¢; turkeys, not quoted.

New York Meats.

Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; lower; steers, \$8.75@16.25; bulls, \$6.50 @ \$10.50, cows, \$2@10. Calves—Receipts, 5,640, irregular; veals, \$14@20; culs, \$10@13; skim milk calves, 7¢; fed calves, \$8.50; westerns, \$9.75@12.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,230; irregular; sheep, ewes, \$5@8.50; culs, \$2@4; lambs, \$9@16.50; culs, \$7@8.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,640; steady; light to medium weights, \$17.50; heavy hogs, \$16.50@16.75; pigs, \$16.50; roughs, \$13.

Chicago Grain.

WHEAT—	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	236	236	231	232
Mar.	259	259	255	258½
CORN—				
Sept.	147½	150	143	144½
Dec.	125½	127½	121	123
OATS—				
Sept.	73½	74½	70½	71
Dec.	70¼	72¼	69¼	69½

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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

FIRE AT GILBERTSVILLE.

Barn Destroyed After Being Struck by Lightning.

Gilbertsville, Aug. 9.—Last Saturday night, at about 5 o'clock, during the storm that passed over this section, lightning struck the small barn located in the meadow on the east side of the main buildings on the farm of Adolph Leonard, near the school house, and the barn and contents were totally destroyed. The barn was insured in the Butterkus Cooperative Town Insurance company.

Auto Tries To Do Stunts.

In making the turn from Commercial street into Elm street Sunday evening, an automobile owned by William Street of South New Berlin and driven by George Smith, tried to climb the Baptist church steeple, but decided to stop when it collided with the large concrete stepping block next to the steeple. The car was warped out of shape, but was able to proceed on its own power, and was keeping within the highway when last heard from.

"Best Game of the Season"

There have been several close and interesting games of ball played here on the athletic field this summer, but by far the best game of the season was played last Saturday afternoon, when the Aton team came up to play the home boys, coached by Dave Bryer. It was certainly a fine, well played game and the outcome was in doubt every minute until the last score was made. At the end of the ninth inning, the score was a tie, 2 and 2, the home team winning the coveted score in the tenth inning. This was the second game between these two teams this summer, each winning one game, and the third is being looked forward to with much interest.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. E. W. Engler of Oneonta is in town visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Silcox, at the Baptist parsonage. Mrs. Mary Dutton and her mother, Mrs. Eliza Church, moved last week from rooms in Henry C. Hake's house to rooms in the Hickok house on Sylvan street. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hendrix of Rockdale spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Jane Hendrix. Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Harrington, Mrs. Hattie Davis, Mrs. Emma Harrington and Mrs. Sarah Aldrich and little son, James, motored to Binghamton Saturday. Miss Margaret Moore, who has been visiting friends in Syracuse for some time past, returned home Saturday evening.

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"There's a Reason"

Thomas E. Halbert and daughter, Marjory, of Ithaca, have been in town since Friday with his son, Robert, and family. Miss Marion Flint returned Saturday evening from a few days' visit with friends in Oneonta. Warren Davis of Syracuse is spending his vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson A. Davis, below the village. Rev. and Mrs. Stephen Cunliff and little daughter, Helen, of Peekskill, and Mrs. Lavina Price, of Earlville, arrived in town Friday and are guests of Miss Mary Hurlbutt for a few days. Mr. Cunliff preached from his former pulpit in the Baptist church Sunday evening. Prof. and Mrs. J. Carleton Hurley, who have been guests of her mother, Mrs. Martha E. Frone, and brother, John R. Frone, have returned to their home in Moravia. Miss Mary Hestop, who has been visiting friends in Corning for a few days, has returned home. Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Silcox, who have been spending their vacation during the past month with his brother in Rochester and with her sister at Schenectady, have returned to their home here. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fox of New York city are in town, guests of his brother, Dr. Charles T. Fox. Mr. and Mrs. William Thurston and children of Otego were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. H. E. Coon.

ONEONTA'S IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Two Couples Escape Injury When Car Crashes Through Fence.

Schuyler Lake, Aug. 9.—Yesterday afternoon a Buick roadster with two young couples from Oneonta met with an accident about a mile from this place on the back road near Jesse Ellsworth's. The road is very narrow there and the trolley driving, in trying to get out of the rut, turned the car and it crashed through the fence and down the bank into the pasture of Mr. Ellsworth, where it struck a stump, which held it from going still farther down the bank and striking a large rock, which might have killed them, but as it was only one young man was injured about the face and the front end of the car was damaged. A passing auto carried the young people to Richfield Springs to see the doctor and the wrecking crew from Brockway's garage was called and got the car up from the embankment and it was taken to Richfield Springs for repairs. The names of the young people were not learned.

Items of Interest.

Miss Louise Fling of Brooklyn spent a few days the past week with Mrs. H. O. Kidder, who has been quite ill but who is better at this writing. Miss Brady, a nurse, is caring for her. Mr. and Mrs. John K. Allen and son, John, of Frankfort, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. E. F. Washburn. Miss M. Dyer was home from her work in Oneonta for over Sunday. P. Jordan of Richfield Springs is making repairs on the outside of the bank building, which had begun to crumble off. Miss Goldie Fassett of Ithaca is a guest of Miss Marjorie Mercer. Thomas Shaw of Sandusky, Ohio, has joined his wife here at the home of her father, William Southworth, for a short visit. Fred Robinson, who lost his arm a year ago last November, has a new arm with all the attachments, recently purchased at Utica. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nelson have moved to Richfield Springs. The Eastern Star picnic, which was held at C. W. Mercer's last Thursday, was largely attended, there being about 140 present. The Richfield Springs band furnished music for the occasion and a very delicious supper was served by the Schuyler Lake Stars. Mrs. Charles Milbert has been on the sick list the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Welch and son of Cooperstown spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Frank Babcock.

MILFORDITES TO PICNIC.

Annual Outing of Methodist Sunday School Scheduled for Thursday.

Milford, Aug. 9.—The annual picnic and outing of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held on Thursday at Three-Mile-Point, Otego Lake. All those who desire to go are requested to be at the church at 10 o'clock sharp, where cars will be in readiness to make the trip.

At Arnold's Lake.

Messrs. Clyde Harrison, Newton Seachard, Alton Winnie, Star Campbell and Herbert Cooper departed Monday for Arnold's lake, where they will camp for a week along the lake shore.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Schreiber left Saturday for the lake, where they will spend a few weeks at the Whitney cottage.

Has Tonsils Removed.

Master Leland Eckler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eckler, was operated upon for diseased tonsils at Oneonta last Thursday by Dr. McMenamin. He is doing nicely at present.

Attend Barney Reunion.

Postmaster and Mrs. Kent Barney and son, Eli, were at Oneonta Saturday, where they attended the annual reunion of the Barney family at Neahwa park.

SEEN IN SCHENEVUS.

Schenevus, Aug. 9.—A regular meeting of Schenevus Valley grange No. 1201, P. of H., will be held at Chase and Bennett hall tomorrow (Tuesday) evening. Work: Third and fourth degrees. Refreshments will be served. Mrs. Mary Skoskey of Wayne, N. J., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ingalls of Cleveland, Ohio, are spending a short time in town. Miss Hulda Card of Otego resumed her duties at the post office this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Northrup of McMinville, Oregon, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lewis.

WEST ONEONTA EVENTS.

Miss Alice Clarke, bride-to-be, is showered—S. S. Picnic Today. West Oneonta, Aug. 9.—Friday afternoon, Misses Ruth Taber and

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Baptist Sunday School Picnic. The picnic of the First Baptist Sunday school will be held at the home of Mrs. Lelia Champlin Tuesday. Those attending are requested to bring dishes and silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Chase Sell Home to A. G. Wilsey of Schenevus.

Elk Creek, Aug. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Grover Chase move this week to Schenevus to the home recently purchased by them of Mrs. George Manzer. Their new home is located on Lower street. The Chase residence in this village has been purchased from them by A. G. Wilsey, formerly of Oneonta, but more recently of Schenevus, who takes immediate possession.

Home Economics Meeting. The Elk Creek Home Economics club will meet Friday of this week with Miss Jennie Cole. The making of salads will be demonstrated.

Supper at Portlandville Wednesday. Portlandville, Aug. 9.—The regular monthly supper of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held in the church parlors Wednesday from 5:30 p. m. (old time) until all are served. Price 25c. A most cordial invitation is extended.

PRESTON-NORTHROP WEDDING.

Life-Long Resident of Worcester Takes Cooperstown Bride.

Worcester, Aug. 9.—Last Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, Willis R. Preston of this place and Mrs. Harriet E. Northrop of Cooperstown were united in marriage by the Rev. E. C. Pettie, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Cooperstown. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. L. M. Barnum, of that place. About 40 friends were present.

Mrs. Preston was at one time a resident of this place and her first husband was principal of the High school for a time.

Mr. Preston has been a life-long resident of this town. For a great many years he conducted a grocery business, but some time ago he retired from that business, and now he conducts a small auto supply station on East Main street.

Westville Grange.

Whereas, Our Brother Guy Chamberlain, worthy master of Westville grange, No. 540, has been called to the Great Beyond, now, therefore, be it

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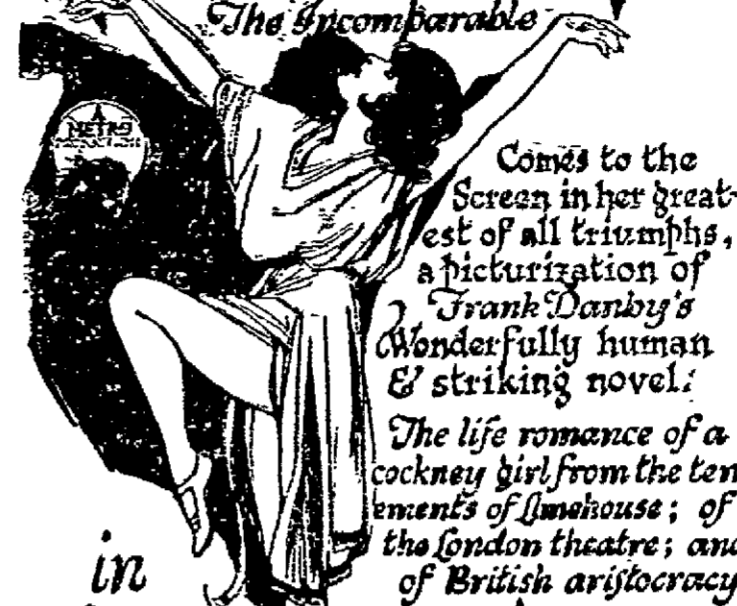
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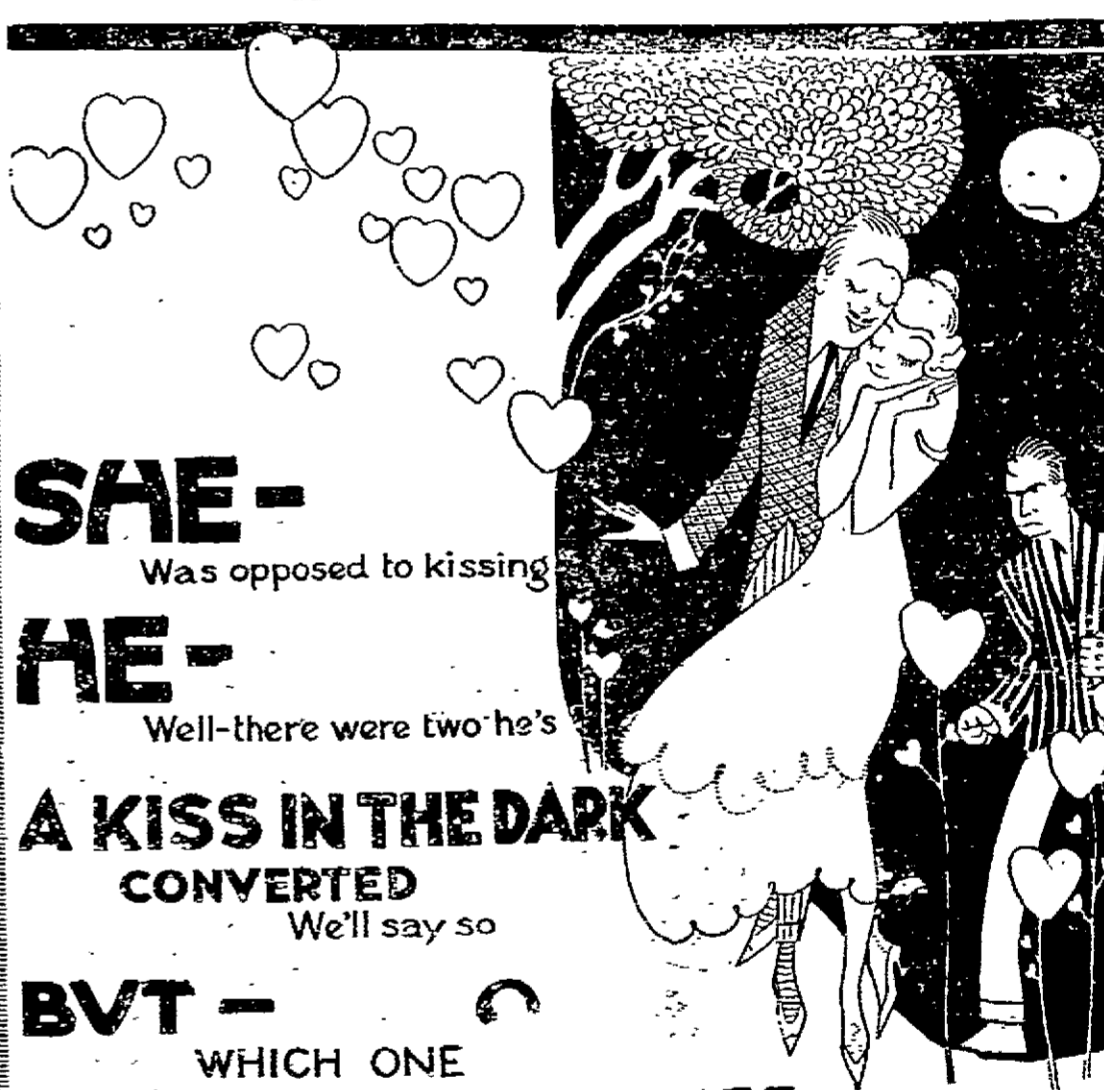
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Pass this all along the line etc.

DEAR PETE:

Just blew into Pittsburg to close that N and P purchase. While I was waiting for the contract to be signed who ambles in to the G. M.'s office but President Holt! Asked me if I had a cigarette. Shipped him my "Camel Garage." Remember, he hit the "straight" boys when I met him last year?

Pete, you ought to hear Mr. Holt talk Camels! Gee, I thought I was some Camel spieler. But he went right to the mat with the subject. Say, if I could have shorthanded that line of super-stuff I'd have the job writing Camel ads by noon today!

"Reynolds ought to get a dollar for every Camel cigarette," Mr. Holt declared. "Why, my boy, Camels are simply wonderful," he added. "Don't ever let anybody talk about mild cigarettes compared with Camels! I know! (Get that, Pete). I've proved it to a hundred smokers that Camels are the most delicious and most refreshing cigarette in the world," etc., etc.

Pete, Camels won Mr. Holt like they won me — on their quality! After hearing him cut loose, I felt like saying: "You tell it, old parcel post, I can't express it!"

Pete, I'm hatching an idea about Camels. I'll spill it your direction next time I write! It's what York State folks call a "pip-ing!" And it's ripe!

Yours till the next fire-up.

Shorty.



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EASTERN FARMS AND FARMERS.

There has been a great deal said in the newspapers and magazines during recent years concerning the wonderful fertility of western farm land, the crops which can be raised and in general the advantages which accrue to those who, abandoning their homes in the east, set forth as argonauts for the middle and far west. It is true that the steady if not great influx of western farmers to New York, where they have bought and settled down, measurably contravenes the claims of the west, yet, it is the opinion of Frank Whalen, a Saratoga county man, in a recently published article, there is need of some more general effort to offset this western propaganda. There are, he says, and there are many to agree with him, thousands of acres throughout the state which are just as good land as lies out of doors, and on which corn and other crops can be produced abundantly and which can generally be bought at much lower prices than prevail for acreage in the orthodox corn belt.

Figures compiled from the Year Book of the Department of Agriculture for 1918 show that the ten year average of corn in New York was 35.3 bushels per acre, in Iowa 35.3 and in Illinois 34.3. The average price for the ten-year period was in New York \$1.01 per bushel, and in Iowa 65 cents, while in the year 1918 the price on the farm was in Iowa \$1.22, and in New York it was \$1.15. The same relative differences exist also in the price for pork, hay, oats and other staple crops.

As for the price of land, it appears that a first-class grain farm in Iowa would cost \$250 per acre. In New York a farm at \$100 per acre would in general be the present maximum of value in the strictly rural regions not affected by nearness to cities, and there are many which could be bought for far less. If money has to be borrowed, the legal rate in New York is six per cent, and in many of the corn belt states it is higher, by contract between parties, going as high as eight per cent in Ohio. This is also a feature to be considered. The saving in interest between the two farms would in a few years pay for the York state farm. These are also less in the east, though this cannot be stated with the exactness with which the interest rate is figured.

Another thing which the farmer living or coming east has to consider when he compares the different sections of the country is distance from market. With the freight rates at a figure to which they are within the month to advance the eastern farmer's nearness to the big markets are a big consideration. Still another is the buildings, and the advance in building costs. There is many a farm in Otsego and Delaware counties today on which the buildings could not be replaced if burned for more money than the farm itself has been offered for sale.

Altogether it would appear that the best place in the world for the eastern farmer is in the east, and he should not be in too much haste to change his location if he expects to continue in the business. At any rate, he has a right to ask whether, laying aside personal considerations which may influence him, there is likelihood there is any section of the country in which there are better farms, better markets, better and more conveniently located schools and churches, better neighbors, better facilities for travel, anything in fact better which is among the essentials of existence than he can find in the Empire state.

WHERE BASEBALL WAS BORN.

Movement Afoot to Purchase Doubleday Field at Cooperstown.

The Cooperstown Chamber of Commerce is agitating a movement to purchase by public subscription Doubleday Field, the birthplace of baseball, of which the Chamber of Commerce has a two year lease with option to buy before the expiration on October 1st, 1920. Baseball was conceived in Cooperstown and the first game was played on Doubleday Field.

The campaign is being actively pushed and both local and out of town subscriptions are being solicited to reach the total of \$5,000, which is necessary for the purpose, \$1,000 having already been secured. The name of every contributor will be published and if the scheme is not successful the money will be returned. Local banks will make no collection charge on checks and none of the money will be used for collection expenses. If the necessary sum is secured by October 1st, the soliciting will not stop, as it will require as much more to put the field in the proper shape to make a creditable memorial to the great and popular international game. There are at present no real arrangements, a fence must be constructed to protect adjacent property, and a fitting entrance prepared for pedestrians and motor vehicles.

An account of the matter will appear in the October issue of Base Ball Magazine, and the scheme also has the approval of the Base Ball Writers' association. John Tener, former president of the National league, David Fultz, president of the International league, and other men prominent in baseball activities.

SOME PARENTS ALARMED.

But There is Believed to Be No Cause for Anxiety over Mad Dog Case.

Publication yesterday of the account of the death of George Crandall, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crandall of 26 Columbia street, who died of rabies following dog-bite, caused considerable anxiety among parents of the city, especially those who have small children. The police department received several calls during the day from fathers and mothers who found stray dogs roaming about their premises and who feared they might be infected with the deadly disease, and officers were sent to several sections to investigate the reports. Although it is only natural for parents to be anxious over their children's safety, there is believed to be no cause for alarm, as no other cases of mad dogs have been reported and the animal that bit the Crandall child has already died. It is nevertheless apropos as a precautionary measure that stray dogs be disposed of and the authorities will doubtless see to it that any dogs that are not properly licensed will be done away with.

Funeral services for the Crandall child were held yesterday noon at the family home, which was piled to overflowing with friends and neighbors, with whom the little fellow was always popular. There was also a profusion of floral pieces that were especially beautiful. Rev. Dr. Charles S. Pendleton, pastor of the Main Street Baptist church, conducted the services and gave a brief talk full of consolation to the bereaved family. Following the services at the house, the body was taken to the Plains cemetery for burial, friends of the family acting as bearers. In their time of trouble, Mr. and Mrs. Crandall had the bounteous assistance of their neighbors who rendered many aids, including the providing of autos for the trip to the cemetery, a score or more offering their machines.

Some errors of statement regarding medical attendance in the rabies case crept through misunderstanding into the article in yesterday's issue. Dr. Marx was the physician summoned when the boy was bitten, and he did all possible by way of cauterization, and dressings to guard against possible infection. When the lad grew suddenly ill last week, Dr. Letcher was called, and as he was about to leave the city Health Officer Augustin was summoned to the case, and later Drs. Smith, McClellan and Lang were called in consultation.

CONVENIENCES FOR FARM HOME.

Demonstration, Carried on Truck, Builds Up Water System Before Eyes.

To show the farm families of New York state how some of the home conveniences such as running water and bathroom may be enjoyed in any farm home is the purpose of a novel demonstration truck which the state college of agriculture at Ithaca will send through most of the counties in the state this summer. The demonstrations are being arranged through the farm and home bureau agents.

On one small motor truck are carried all the materials such as pipe, sink, hot water tank, pumps, faucets and the like for the demonstration, as well as materials for setting up an open framework of one corner of a two-story house. It is in this open framework of the house that the home conveniences are installed.

The water system will be progressively developed from a simple pump at the kitchen sink, through an arrangement whereby the pump and a gravity tank may be made to supply hot water, up to a complete modern system with toilet and a lavatory (which represents also a bathtub) on the second floor of the house.

These systems are all actually built up before the eyes of the spectators—tanks, pumps, faucets, piping and all the rest. Outside the framework of the house will be staked out finally a septic tank, and a model of the tank will also be shown and explained.

The home convenience truck will visit two communities in Otsego county, viz: New Lisbon and Middlefield Center. Demonstrations will be held at the home of Ernest Thurston on Sept. 25, at 1 p. m., and at Cunningham Bros., Middlefield Center, on Sept. 27, at 1 p. m. The demonstration is open to everyone in the community and surrounding community. It is hoped that many will be present at this novel demonstration.

Debate at United Presbyterian Church.

The Woman's Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church will meet in the church parlor this afternoon at 2:30 p. m. Topic: Home Missions.

A special feature of the program will be a debate. Resolved: That missionary work in the country is more essential to an enduring nation than in the city. Affirmative: Miss Dorothy Downie and Helen Mitchell. Negative: Misses Mary Ormiston and Mary Downie. All ladies of the congregation are invited. Bring something for the shower of canned fruit, vegetables, etc. Hostesses: Mesdames Birdseye, Bond and Bolles.

Shute Has Broken Collar Bone.

William Shute of Lower Chestnut street suffered a broken collar bone last Saturday when he was thrown from his motorcycle. He was riding along the highway near Edney, when he struck a hole in the macadam and the lower portion of the front fender caught on the edge, overturning the machine. Shute was able to pick himself up and ride his machine home, where he was attended by D. O. C. Tarbox, who found him suffering with a broken collar bone. The physician reduced the fracture and made him as comfortable as possible although the injury causes him considerable pain.

The White Reunion.

The White reunion will be held at the home of John Herring in Otsego on Thursday, August 12.

WEST END EVENTS.

Meeting of Loyal Workers Postponed — Many Aboard Richards Reunion at Maine — Local and Personal Notes.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Loyal Workers' class of the Elm Park Methodist church will be held next week Wednesday, Aug. 18, instead of this week.

Richards Reunion Held.

The Richards reunion was held last Friday at Maine, N. Y., and was largely attended, 55 being present. A delicious dinner was served and the event proved a most enjoyable one. Those present from West End were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Richards, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Richards and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whitney and daughter and guests, Miss Nellie Richards and Miss Zelas, Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw and John M. Richards.

Purchases New Car.

Frank Blissel of the Plains has purchased of Fred VanWie a fine new five passenger Oakland touring car.

To Enjoy Week's Outing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Butler and son, Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Crippen and son, Riley Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eakley and daughter, Barbara, left yesterday for a week's stay at Cliffside, where they will enjoy the sports of our deer life. They will occupy the C. E. Carrington camp.

Removal.

M. H. Fritts has moved from 132 Chestnut street to 11 Brook street, he having purchased a place there.

Local Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Enshin and two sons, of Carbondale, Pa., have returned home after spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Enshin, 357 Chestnut street.

Mrs. L. C. Millard of 3309 Chestnut street and son, Jesse, of Binghamton, are spending some time with friends in Rochester.

Mrs. Mary Cass of Ware, Mass., was a recent guest of Mrs. T. A. Shafer, 365 Chestnut street.

Miss Daisy Horton of 10 Fonda avenue is in Albany for a few days as the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lough and two sons, of 348 Chestnut street, have returned from a week's pleasure trip in Endicott and Johnson City. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Lough's cousin Mrs. Albert Burrows, and daughter, Louise, who will remain with the family a time.

Mrs. George Gilbert of Margaretville has returned home after being the guest for several days of her daughter, Mrs. William Dougherty, of West End avenue.

Mrs. F. W. Bouck of 292 Chestnut street has returned after spending a few days with relatives and friends in Albany and Delmar.

Miss Mildred Legge of Binghamton has returned from a visit with Mrs. Fred Becker, 402 Chestnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hayner of 403 Chestnut street spent Sunday with the former's brother, E. N. Hayner, of Schenectady.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Christ of Parish New York city are spending some time with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Solloway of 8 Fonda avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Christ of Parish avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Shofstom of Sidney spent Sunday at Maurice Barnett's, 18 West End avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Richards and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shepard, all of the Plains, spent Sunday at Odell lake, above East Davenport.

Miss Laura Steer who has just completed a course at the Albany Business college, has been spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Mabel Horton of 10 Fonda avenue. She left Sunday for her home in Cooperstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Allen and daughter, Evelyn, spent Sunday with their parents in Harpersville. They were accompanied home by Mr. Allen's father, also their daughter, Myrtle, who has been visiting there.

Misses Nellie Richards and Lola Zelas have returned to their home in New York city after spending several weeks with the former's sister, Mrs. William Whitney, of Lower River street.

Mrs. Mildred Bouck and Sidney Bouck, of 292 Chestnut street, are in Delmar for a few days as the guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Avisworth of 347 Chestnut street are spending several days with relatives and friends in Johnson City and Binghamton.

Mr. and Mrs. James McBride of Syracuse have returned home after a week's visit with their niece, Mrs. Daniel Rose, 351 Chestnut street.

Frank Rifenmark of the Plains left Saturday for Syracuse and Onondaga, where he will enjoy a two months' vacation.

Mrs. Daniel Rose of 351 Chestnut street spent yesterday in Schenectady on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Goodyear Lake Camp Changes Hands.

Harry P. Weidman, manager of the Oregonia "Cubs," has purchased of Earl Walsh through the H. M. Bard and Son real estate agency, a camp on Goodyear lake on the state road side, adjoining that of W. I. Bolton. Possession was given immediately and Mr. Weidman will make various alterations which will include the building of a garage. Mr. Walsh expects to construct another camp on the lake in the future.

Jester and Goldsmith Reunion.

The Jester and Goldsmith reunion will be held on August 18 at the home of Charles E. Griffin, Otsego. Please bring sandwiches, plate, cup, fork and spoon.

Wanted—At once—Short order cook at Twentieth Century lunch room. If



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The enormous size, weight and power of these leviathans of the rail, are positively astounding. Each engine (and tender) weighs almost 900,000 pounds, is considerably more than 100 feet in length, has 20 driving wheels, is fired by machinery, exerts a straightaway pull of 176,000 pounds and, 'tis said, will haul any load that the coupling pin will hold.

The boilers of these giants on wheels are about 3 1/2 feet in diameter. Each boiler contains 331 two and a quarter inch tubes, which, placed end to end, would reach almost two miles; also, seventy 5 1/2-inch flues, having a total length of more than a quarter of a mile. The fire boxes are 15 feet long and 9 feet wide.

The shipment of these large locomotives from the point of construction to the point of service presented an unusually peculiar and difficult problem requiring great care and attention, for the reason that the tracks and bridges of the various railroads over which they had to move were not, in all cases, built to withstand such tremendous weights. They were shipped in a partially knocked-down condition and approximately two weeks were required to move them from Schenectady, N. Y., to Princeton, W. Va. Three cars were necessary to carry the loose and detached parts belonging to each locomotive.

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30 acre farm, all level bottom land, 1-2 miles from railroad station, large 10 room house, barn, 40x50, living stream on both sides of farm, valley location. Price, \$3,200.

6 acre farm, 20 minutes ride from this city, located on state road, fair buildings, lots of fruit, flowing water. Price, \$2,200.

Feed business for sale, doing big business, switch to railroad, fine opportunity.

Grocery business for sale, stock and fixtures inventory about \$2,500.

Trucking business for sale, including wagons, horses and other equipment. Price, \$1,200.

House and about 1 acre of land on state road near this city. Price, \$1,800.

95 acre farm, valley location, 1 mile off the state road, nearly level land, good buildings, running water. 21 acres valuable timber. Will include 3 cows and 2 good horses, all machinery, tools, crops. Price, \$5,000; cash, \$2,000.

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LOCAL MENTION.

Good Hunting.

As I strolled down the primrose way,
Sly Cupid oft beset me
And, though I dodged with laughter
Said:

The rascal swore he'd "get" me.
I taunted him with jest and song.
And folled each move he made,
Until a vision came along.

In overalls arrayed,
The wee god's deadly arrow swished.
As I stood charmed before her:
I felt it sting and then I wished.

Forever to adore her;
No more the primrose pathway calls—
Love's slave I'll ever be.
For that fair maid in overalls
Serves the sweet God with me.

—[Pierre Saleida]

—Informal dance at the Country club tomorrow evening, commencing at 8 o'clock.

—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin J. Ives of 28 Cedar street have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Katherine M., to Carlton B. Lattin Wednesday evening, August 25.

Big Field Day at Goodyear Lake.

Rapid progress is being made and great interest is manifested in the preparations for the Field Day to be held on August 23 at Goodyear Lake by the Goodyear Lake association. A meeting of the association was held recently to further the arrangements, which will include decoration of the property along the lake front, the draping of the grove at Cliffs with American flags, a program of land and water events, a picnic dinner, and a huge bonfire with other illuminating displays in the evening. All are eligible for entry in the contests and those who desire to do so are requested to apply to J. G. Hoyt, C. C. Miller, Lee D. VanWoert or M. J. Hickey. This is a chance for all who are interested in the lake to get together and enjoy a pleasant afternoon and evening, replete with amusement and entertainment of great variety.

Meetings Today.

Meeting of American Legion at Elks' home, this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Methodist Episcopal church will hold a meeting in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 10, at 3 o'clock. Tea and waters will be served free.

Regular meeting Centennial lodge, No. 447, L. O. O. F., this evening at 8 o'clock. Work, first degree.

Mrs. Van Derhulst's band of the Ladies' Aid will meet at the First Baptist church at 2:30 this afternoon.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Baraca class of the West End Baptist church will be held at the home of C. N. Bingham, 284 River street, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Progress of the Paving.

The paving work on Maple, Elm and Spruce streets is progressing steadily, the portion of Maple street from Center to Main, and the west side as far as the Normal hill being already completed. The cement gutters, the curbs, the sewers, and the cement along the car tracks through the intersections of streets are laid on Maple and Elm, and parts of these streets not already finished are ready for the top dressing. The work on Spruce street between Elm and Maple is not as far advanced as on the other streets.

Corrected Twilight League Schedule.

Since publication yesterday of this week's schedule of the Twilight Baseball league, it has been found necessary to make some changes. The corrected schedule for the week follows: Tuesday—Italian Stars vs. Shops. Wednesday—Y. M. C. A. vs. Reds. Thursday—Wanderers vs. Nine Spots. Friday—Reds vs. Italian Stars.

New Bus in Operation.

The Oneonta-Stamford bus line starts this morning with its new "White" bus in operation. This will undoubtedly improve the efficiency of the service as well as cater to the comfort of those who patronize the line. Both proprietor and patrons will be glad of its arrival as it has been expected for some time past.

Public Auction

At 382 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y., Wednesday, August 11, 1920, at 1 p. m. sharp, city time. All household goods formerly belonging to L. A. Knapp late deceased. Sold by order of executor, William Abbott, auctioneer.

Are You Deaf?

Accousticon, new, perfect order, used only three times, arm disabled, can't adjust it. For sale: bargain. 94 Ford avenue. eod 22

For Sale—Fine property on Ossago street. House in good condition. Street paved. Bargain if sold at once. Phone 27-W. Sheldon H. Cline, Municipal building.

Eyeglasses fitted by Dr. Shoemaker, optometrist, tomorrow (Wednesday), Breese block, second floor, upstairs, one flight. Entrance 159 Main street, or through Department store. 11

Canning's Orchestra.

All engagements given prompt attention. 5 Ford avenue or phone 1162-W. adv 11

For Sale—Astrachan apples, 45c a peck. No apples delivered. A. D. Blanchard, 42 Miller street.

Dishwasher wanted at the Dairy Kitchen. Like Oranges? Drink Orange-juice. 11

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BUILDING ACTIVITIES IN THE CITY

Ford Had New Home—Other Business Enterprises Are Being Pushed Ahead Rapidly.

The Oneonta Sales company is now proudly located at its new home at the corner of Market and Chestnut streets. The work which has been in progress for several months is now nearing completion and the result is one of the most attractive business establishments in the city. The structure is a handsome two-story brick building, which is nicely decorated, giving it a very attractive appearance. The basement fronting on Market street has been especially arranged for the offices and show rooms, while the stock and store rooms are in the rear. The upper story is entered from Chestnut street and is to be used by the company as their repair department and for storing cars. The repair department is already doing business in the new quarters. Mechanics have been doing repair work in the new quarters for a considerable time already and the plant as a whole will soon be opened to the public.

Work on the cellar for the new Dible garage at 12 Dietz street is being pushed along very rapidly. The large steel girders for the frame work have arrived and the necessary brick are also on hand so that work on the foundation and building can be commenced in the near future.

The Elmore Milling company has men at work laying the brick for an extension to their large grain elevator. This addition to the plant will help to better the efficiency of the company.

The addition to the Oneonta theatre is entirely completed and the management is waiting for the arrival of shipments of iron before connecting the new portion with the old, which will be started in the near future and will probably be completed before fall. The stage will be moved forward for 50 feet and the boxes will be removed to be replaced with new ones, thus doubling the seating capacity of the floor.

The exterior of the new block being erected by Ellery Spencer and Lavern Palmer on Chestnut street has been completed, but the interior is not yet finished and the front and the window in the rear have not yet been installed.

Alterations and repairs in the block at 183 Main street are progressing steadily in preparation for occupation in the fall by the ice cream parlor of John Laskaris. The ground floor, which was formerly raised, has been lowered to the level of the street, the walls have been repaired and replastered, and the interior has been repainted in white. Work is under way on the installation of the Main street front and preparations are being made for the placing of the windows. Various alterations and repairs are being made in the upper stories.

WHERE CUBS PLAY THIS WEEK.

Games Arranged with Scranton, Stamford, Mohawk, and Possibly Catskill.

The schedule for the Cubs this week will be as follows: Tuesday, recess day. Wednesday, Cubs will go to Scranton to play the third game of the \$1,000 series. Scranton has won two games. Thursday, Stamford will play at Oneonta. Friday, if Oneonta wins at Scranton Wednesday, the Scranton team will play at Oneonta. If Oneonta does not win, Pop Galt's Catskill team will play the Cubs at Neahwa park, Friday. Saturday, the last Mohawk Athletics will try to give the Cubs a racing. These are all fast teams and surely should be good baseball games.

Orange Crush Co. Opens Local Plant.

The Orange Crush Bottling company of Binghamton has leased quarters at 115 River street, formerly occupied by Dible's garage, and expects to open for business next week. Among the beverages made by the company will be orange crush, lemon crush, grape crush and cherry smash, all fruit products and also the Tuxedo ginger ale.

The local plant, which will manufacture and distribute for Oneonta and a large surrounding territory, is the first of the local branches to be established by the Binghamton company. S. D. Bush will be manager of the Oneonta plant.

Oats for Sale.

About 12 acres of oats, in fine condition, in Neahwa park, for sale to highest bidder. Sealed bids will be received at the city clerk's office to and including August 14, 1920, at 10 a. m. Right reserved to reject any and all bids. Park commission, city of Oneonta. mts 41

Reo five-passenger touring car, in good condition, fine finish; two new tires. A bargain for quick sale, or would exchange for a light roadster. Will demonstrate any time. H. M. Cowan Jr., Hobart. 61

Eventually, Why Not Now?

Phone 1653-J and have that heater cleaned and put in condition. A. V. Baldwin, plumbing and heating contractor. 31

Oneonta State Normal Rings.

R. E. Bingham, jeweler, has just received another invoice of Oneonta State Normal seal rings. 31

Just as sure as two and two equal four, a good cook and Baker's certified flavoring extracts will produce perfect desserts. 1w

For sale—Oakland touring. Overland model 50. Overland 73, Buick four cylinder roadster. L. F. Stanton, 21 Church street.

Ira S. Sweet, practical bonsetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, Sept. 1; Eagle, Norwich, Sept. 4. 11

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FOR THE WELFARE OF ONEONTA

PROPOSED COORDINATION OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH ACTIVITIES.

Meeting of Officers of Many Organizations Called for Friday Afternoon at Municipal Hall—Plan Satisfactorily Employed Elsewhere May Be Put in Operation Here—General Invitation Extended.

As is well known, there is a general desire in Oneonta to do everything for the public good, alike in the matter of health and in civic and social activities; and this work has been carried on by a considerable number of independent organizations, all zealously working in their several fields but necessarily with a certain duplication of effort. In order to obviate this, a plan is under way by which all the Oneonta welfare and health activities can be centralized and coordinated, in one well-adapted central location and all united in efforts for the general good which are designed with the minimum of difficulty to bring things effectually to pass.

In order to set this movement afoot a committee consisting of H. W. Fluhner, Hon. Charles Smith, Mrs. E. W. Elmore, B. H. Morris, Dr. A. H. Brownell, Mrs. I. S. Dingley, Mrs. M. C. Hemstreet and Dr. George W. Austin, with Miss Nina V. Short as acting secretary, has tentatively been organized and a letter has been sent out to all business and social organizations, the educational department and the welfare societies of the city. This letter outlines the work and asks that each such organization send, appoint or elect a representative to meet, for the purpose of having the proposed program more fully explained, discussing and changing it if necessary and electing a board of directors to fully organize the movement and put it in motion. The meeting will be held at Municipal hall Friday afternoon, August 13, at 4 o'clock.

As is well known and no doubt freely admitted, this is a matter of great importance for Oneonta and it demands the cooperation of every one interested in the development of the city. For this reason the committee above named urges the presence not only of the delegates from the organizations named but of all citizens who are interested in the physical, moral and social uplift of the community. Remember the date—Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

New Fixtures at Drug Store.

Workmen were busy yesterday and last night installing new show cases and other fixtures in the City Drug store. The alterations make a marked improvement in the appearance of Oneonta's long-established pharmacy.

There is a tinge of pleasure in every cup of Chase & Sanborn's coffee. Ask Palmer, the grocer, 125 Main street. 31

Taxi and trucking day and night. Phone 373-J. 11

The Tempting Lemon Tang. Ward's Lemon-Crush. 31

FACILITIES INADEQUATE

For Memorial Hospital Needs Addition to Provide for Laboratory Work—Special Committee Reports.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Aurelia Osborne Fox Memorial Hospital society, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—W. L. Brown.
Vice presidents—G. W. Fairchild, A. E. Ford and O. B. Rowe.
Secretary—Robert Hall.

Treasurer—Edward Crippen.
Superintendent—Eva Caddy.
At the annual meeting, C. J. Beams, A. E. Ford, W. L. Whipple and George I. Wilber, were elected as directors for a term of three years to succeed themselves. Dr. Morton E. Brownell of Oneonta was elected to the medical staff of the hospital.

A resolution was offered and accepted regarding the sale of a parcel of land in the borough and county of Queens, city of New York, the proceeds to be used for the benefit of the hospital.

The report of the committee appointed to investigate the feasibility of installing suitable laboratory equipment or erecting an addition for laboratory uses was read. They found no suitable unoccupied space in the present building and the small room now in use was found to be inadequate. They advocated the constructing of an addition to the present building for the purpose of laboratory and research facilities, which it is felt would be of great benefit and assistance to the work of the institution.

At the annual meeting, the treasurer's report was read, showing receipts of \$67,259.11 and disbursements of \$67,283.11, also the report of the superintendent from which the following statistics are taken: From July 1, 1919, to June 30, 1920, 664 patients were admitted to the hospital; the total number of patients treated were 634; number of operations, 472; number of patients discharged cured, 503; improved, 103, unimproved, 11; number of deaths, 39.

The hospital has been suffering from the shortage of nurses in common with other institutions of the same nature.

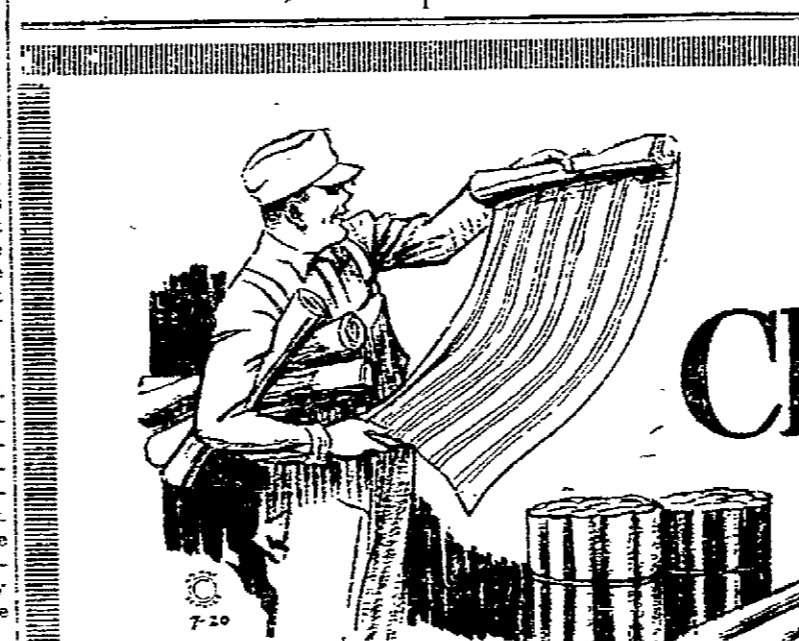
Mrs. W. H. Fay Improving.

The many friends of Mrs. William H. Fay, who was seriously injured in an auto accident last week and was taken to the Fox Memorial hospital, will be pleased to learn that her condition is steadily improving. The skull was not fractured, as was at first feared, but concussion of the brain and other injuries will confine her to the bed for several days longer.

Philathea Picnic Social.

The Philathea class of the First Baptist church will hold a picnic social at the home of Mrs. Charles Eldred, 121 East street, this afternoon. Bring sandwiches and covered dish.

No city ordinance forbids parking your Lizzie or your Mabelle in one of Baker Bros' comfortable hammocks. Many others are doing it. 21



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The Ford Coupe with an electric self-starting and lighting system is one of the most popular members of the Ford Family. It is a permanently enclosed car, with sliding plate glass windows — an open car with plenty of shade. Then, in inclement weather, enclosed and cozy, dust-proof and rain-proof. Just the car for traveling salesmen, physicians, architects, contractors, builders, and a regular family car for two. Demountable rims with 3 1-2 inch tires all around. To women it brings the convenience of the electric, with the durability and economy of the Ford car. Early orders will avoid long delays in delivery.

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Do your wife a kindness and buy her a Maytag power washing machine. This will lessen her burden of 52 washings or more a year. You would not do these washings yourself if you had to pay \$500 for a Maytag Washer.

Think of what you are getting, a power plant in itself that will do the washing, wringing, run a grind stone, a cream separator, corn sheller and the ice cream freezer.

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Scene from MAURICE TOURNEUR'S PRODUCTION "VICTORY"
A Paramount Pictures Production

At The Oneonta Theatre To-day—2:30, 7, 9 P. M.

Another Special FROM Kandyland

Maple and Vanilla WALNUT BonBons

60c Per Pound

They Look Delicious and Are Not Deceiving in This Case.

KANDYLAND Originates Great Delicacies in Confectionery. One Test Will Convince You.



GATE'S Half-Sole Tires

5,000 Mile Guarantee Cost 1/2 as much

Authorized Service Station Oneonta Battery & Tire Co.

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Entrance at Torrey's Market

TWO CHARGED WITH ASSAULT

Charles Cole Pleads Guilty and Is Fined \$10 and Placed Under Parole—Claude Adair Demands Jury Trial, Set for Sept. 9.

Two men were before Judge Frank C. Huntington in city court yesterday morning on a charge of assault in the third degree, both cases growing out of the apparent inability of the parties concerned to settle disputes peacefully.

Charles Cole of the Plains, who was taken into custody Saturday night on Main street after Warren Grant alleged that he had assaulted him, pleaded guilty when brought before the judge. He was fined \$10 and sentenced to 90 days in jail, but the jail sentence was suspended provided Cole reports to Chief of Police Horton every Saturday during the next three months.

The case of Claude H. Adair of 48 1/2 West Broadway, who was arrested three weeks ago on a charge of assault in the third degree preferred by David Nader, also of West Broadway, was brought up again yesterday, it having been adjourned from the time Adair was first apprehended. According to reports, the difficulty between the two men resulted from a garden in Adair's backyard. Nader formerly lived in the same house with Adair and after her had moved to another location he came back one day to dig some potatoes, which he said he had planted and still belonged to him. It was then, according to Nader, that Adair came out of the house and drove him away with a club, telling him to keep out of his (Adair's) garden.

Nader then took his case to the police and swore out a warrant for Adair's arrest on the assault charge. Adair entered a plea of not guilty when the adjourned case was brought up yesterday and through his attorney, George L. Gibbs, demanded a jury trial. Attorney John G. Johnson represented Nader and after some discussion between the parties concerned, Judge Huntington set September 9 as the date for the trial.

Perfect tea requires a perfect package. Biva tea is so packed that all its good is preserved.

TO ERECT CROSSING SIGNAL

D. & H. Directed to Install Safety Device at Unadilla.

Under an order just issued by the Public Service commission, second district, the Delaware and Hudson railroad is directed to install on the main highway south of Unadilla an automatic audible visible signal, of such type as the railroad may select, to be approved by the commission, thereby giving highway users better warning of the approach of trains.

The commission's investigation conducted by Commissioner Frank Irvine, showed that the crossing was a dangerous one and that the commission had taken steps to provide a better protection. It directed the removal of a sign which partly obstructed a view of the crossing, but the United States Railroad administration, then in control of the road, took no action on the matter of a crossing signal.

Commissioner Irvine said a day flagman at the crossing with none at night would increase rather than diminish the danger except while the flagman was on duty, while audible visible signals now in common use seem to afford fully adequate protection and operate continuously. The commissioner says the audible part of the signal is not of great service to automobilists and may be a decided annoyance to the neighborhood residents. If it proves a nuisance provision is made in the order for disconnection of the ringing apparatus and the operation of a visible signal alone. This the commissioner holding to be the essential device.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks to neighbors, friends and B. L. F. and E. for the many kindnesses shown during the illness and after the death of our son.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crandall and family.

Births.

Born, August 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Buck of 51 West street, a daughter, Viola Belle.

For Sale.

Heavy horse for sale. Inquire No. 4 Mickle place.

PERSONALS

William A. Leach of Sherburne was a guest at The Oneonta last night.

Bert VanZandt of West Harpersfield was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Lulu Mae Hill left yesterday for a week's stay with relatives in Cooperstown.

Mrs. Mable Rowi and son, Clifford, are spending a few months in Shavertown and vicinity.

Miss Helen Clark of Mt. Vernon is visiting at the home of L. L. Gardner of Otsego street.

Benjamin Simons is in New York city purchasing goods for his Broad street clothing store.

Roy Ferris of Mt. Vernon is the guest this week of his niece, Mrs. Owen Eckler, of this city.

Mrs. Ora Shaffer returned last evening from a visit with relatives at Binghamton and Endicott.

J. G. Hetzel of Stamford, Conn. was a caller in the city yesterday and spent the night at The Oneonta.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mills of Oneonta left yesterday for Nova Scotia to spend some time on a vacation.

Miss Pearl Keough of Sidney is visiting at the home of her uncle, William Kinnier, of 11 Pine street.

Mrs. S. Alice Norton of Norton's Bazaar left yesterday for New York to purchase fall and winter millinery.

Miss Florence London, of the Wilber National bank, is spending a two weeks' vacation with friends in Cobleskill.

Mrs. J. E. Hopkins of 15 Columbia street is in Otsego, in attendance on Mrs. Leon Hopkins and the latter's infant child.

H. L. Southern and family of Sherburne and Mrs. Pope of New Berlin spent Sunday with Mrs. Rose Collar of this city.

Mrs. Oscar Beams of 9 Washington street left yesterday for Susquehanna, Pa., where she will care for her sister, who is ill.

The condition of Mrs. W. S. Woodcock of Worcester, who is seriously ill at the Fox Memorial hospital, remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. William DeGroat and daughter, Wilma, of 66 Diaz street, left yesterday for Johnson City to visit friends for a few days.

Miss Charlotte V. Curtis of 213 Main street has returned to Roman's store after spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents in Morris.

Lewis F. Ross, assistant cashier of the Wilber National bank, and family are spending a two weeks' vacation camping in the Adirondacks.

Mrs. A. A. Flemming of Cooperstown was in Oneonta yesterday on the way to Afton to visit at the home of her brother for two weeks.

Mrs. Floyd Shumway and son of New York are visiting at the home of Mrs. Shumway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Spencer, of Otsego street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Every of 93 Chesnut street, who had been visiting relatives in Binghamton over the weekend, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Ezra Baxter of Troy, Pa., was in Oneonta yesterday on the way to Fleischmanns to visit at the home of Mrs. E. Froud for a few days.

Fred Churchill of Stamford was in the city yesterday, calling on friends.

Burton Clark of Hobart was in the city yesterday calling on friends.

Charles Elwood of Roscoe returned home yesterday after spending the week-end with his sister, Mrs. William Kinnier, of 11 Pine street.

Miss Nellie Brown of North Picher, who had been visiting at the home of Miss Mildred Voorhees of 27 Brewer avenue, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. John V. Clark and daughter, Louis, of 8 Franklin street, are guests of Col. and Mrs. Franklin S. Hutton at the Hotel Augustan, Cobleskill.

Mrs. F. S. Pond of 619 Main street is visiting relatives in Cohoes, Schenectady, St. Johnsville and Little Falls. She will be absent about two weeks.

Miss Grace Nesbitt of New York city spent the week-end in Oneonta visiting the Misses Helen and Frances Wing, who are attending the Normal school.

Mrs. Fred Hoffman returned Sunday from Mansfield, Dayton and Xenia, Ohio, where she had been visiting her daughter, Miss Myrtle Hoffman, for over a fortnight.

Mrs. Egbert A. Scramling and Miss Beniah James Carpenter arrived in Oneonta yesterday from Summit, N. J., called here by the death of Mrs. Howard L. Day.

William Fullington, who is stationed at Camp Hollenburd, Baltimore, Md., is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fullington, at Bloomville, on a 60 day furlough.

Charles F. Farmer who arrived Saturday in Oneonta from Jersey City, N. J., where he has an excellent position with a large dye and chemical firm, leaves for home today.

Ralph Ormiston of this city is attending the New Wilmington Missionary conference at New Wilmington, Pa., as a representative of the Y. P. C. U. of Delaware Presbytery.

Miss Elizabeth Perry, who for the past two weeks has been visiting relatives in the Mohawk valley, has returned and has resumed her position in the Oneonta Department store.

Miss Mary Ward, who had been spending the summer with her brother, Harry, in Ithaca, arrived in Oneonta last evening and is a guest of Miss Milla Fraser, 35 Main street.

Anthony J. Pedroni, of the Wilber National bank, is spending a portion of his two weeks' vacation with relatives in Schenectady, after which he will leave on a trip which may extend as far as Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mitchell, and children of Franklin street, motored to Binghamton Sunday and for a few days are guests of relatives and friends in city and vicinity.

Miss Ruth Truesdale of 265 Chestnut street left yesterday for Wolbach, Neb., accompanied as far as Binghamton by Mrs. Fred Truesdale at which place Mrs. Truesdale will be joined by her grandfather, Morris Truesdale, of Johnson City, who will accompany her to Wolbach, where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

George H. Edson of South Glastonburg has been visiting Mrs. E. W. Osgood of 94 River street, Oneonta. He left yesterday for Walton to spend a few days with Mrs. Osgood's sister, Mrs. Schoemaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Palmer and daughter, Hazel, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brigham and daughter, Margaret, motored Sunday to Palenville, Greene county, and dined at the Hop VanWinkle Country club.

Mrs. E. W. Blackall, librarian of the Oneonta Public library, will attend a meeting at Cooperstown today, called for the purpose of organizing a library club for this district, in which there are about 30 public libraries.

Mrs. Albert Tesko of Ithaca is the guest of her brother, C. O. Biederman of 494 Main street. Mrs. May Escher of Jersey City, a daughter of Mrs. Biederman, with her two children, is also a guest at the Biederman residence.

Mrs. Julia Spencer of Otsego street returned Sunday from a month's cruise among the Caribbean Islands and along the shores of South America, touching the following places: Kingston, Jamaica, Santiago, the Panama Canal Zone, Santa Marta, Colombia and other ports.

Sidney Price of 128 Chestnut street was called to Albany yesterday by tidings that his wife, who was visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. R. Hewitt, of that city, had been injured by a fall down stairs. Fortunately her hurts, though numerous and painful, are not believed to be serious.

Miss Mauda Blanchard of the Practical Bible Training school, Binghamton, is at her home here for a two weeks' vacation. Miss Blanchard reports that the summer bible conference this year was the greatest ever held at Bible School park, over 700 having registered. Among the speakers were Dr. J. C. Massee, Dr. Leon Tucker, Dr. Robert Stratton and Dr. Charles Katman, the Sunshine Evangelist of Philadelphia, who for 30 years has conducted the young people's meetings at Ocean Grove.

Funeral of Mrs. John A. Kimber. The funeral of Mrs. John A. Kimber, who died recently in Atlanta, Ga., was held yesterday at 11:30 a. m. from the Parker Undertaking Parlor on Broad street. The Rev. J. C. Johnson, of the Elm Park Methodist Episcopal church, officiating. The bearers were relatives of the deceased. After the services, the body was taken to the Plains cemetery for burial. Many beautiful floral offerings were presented by friends and relatives.

Mrs. Carr Sells Home. Mrs. Lena Carr has sold her father's residence at 60 West street to George F. Smith of River street. Possession will be given October 1.

Herbert Betts Buys Double House. Herbert Betts, now residing at 17 Pearl street, has purchased of James H. Baker the double house on CHE street and will occupy it September 1.

Used where both unquestionable quality and rigid economy are imperative. Juniata brand nut margarine.

After this date I refuse to pay all bills except those contracted by myself. Robert VanDyke. August 9, 1920. 3r

Oneonta Dept. Store, Inc. The Store Ahead

On Friday, Aug. 13, We Inaugurate Our Great

SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

Formal announcement will appear in a four page advertisement in Thursday's issue of "The Star"

We have been preparing for this great merchandise event for weeks and will have some of the greatest values we have ever been able to offer. Every department of the big store will participate and clearance prices will be in evidence on every line of merchandise.

Owing to the great amount of work in preparation of the big event we find it impossible to hold our regular Wednesday Economy Day. We, however, ask our Economy day patrons to visit the store Friday, when we guarantee that the values will be greater than ever.

YOUR DEPOSIT MADE IN OUR INTEREST DEPARTMENT NOW WILL BE ALLOWED INTEREST FROM AUGUST FIRST AT THE RATE OF FOUR PER CENT COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY

Accounts May Be Opened in Any Amount and in T Names Payable to the Survivor of Either, If Desired

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SPECIAL SALE COATS SUITS DRESSES

To close broken lots and clear our stock for fall arrivals, we are offering the following unusual values in quality ready-to-wear.

Please note that quantities in every case are limited and we cannot guarantee to have the garment you wish unless you come for it early.

SILK DRESSES

\$50.00 and \$47.50 Silk Dresses. Sale \$29.79
\$25.00 Crepe de Chine, Georgette and Taffeta Dresses.
Sale \$20.00

Four Suits at \$9.98. Former prices \$30.00 to \$27.50.	Three Suits \$22.79. Former prices \$40.00 to \$37.50.
Six Coats \$10.00	Three Coats \$6.00
Maribou Collars Twenty Per Cent Off.	\$16.50 Separate Skirts. Your choice \$9.99

BLACK SEPARATE SKIRTS

Eighteen Black Separate Skirts, prices, \$7.00 to \$10.00. 15 per cent discount.

JERSEY DRESSES

Three Jersey Dresses. \$32.50 and \$30.00. To close \$20.00

SPECIAL PRICES On All Spring Suits and Coats

SUMMER SHOES

—AT—

BIG REDUCTIONS

With many weeks of summer weather ahead of us, these special prices on all low shoes will appeal to the thrifty shopper.

Women's \$12.00 Oxfords and Pumps	\$9.85	Men's \$4.00 White Oxfords and Shoes	\$2.69
Women's \$10.00 Oxfords and Pumps	\$7.85	Men's \$10.00 Black and Tan Oxfords	\$7.85
Women's \$8.00 Oxfords and Pumps	\$5.85	Men's \$2.50 Tennis Shoes and Oxfords	89c
Women's \$6.00 Oxfords and Pumps	\$3.85	Boys' \$3.50 Black Button and Lace Shoes	\$1.98

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Wanted a Quantity.

Helen's mother came from a large family and Helen loved to visit her grandma's house, as there were always so many young uncles and aunts to play with. One day, after returning from one of her visits, Helen was taken to the bedroom and was shown a tiny new baby sister. Helen did not seem to be at all enthusiastic, and her father, surprised at her lack of interest, asked:

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Helen replied: "Jim! Only one! Why didn't you get a real mang, like granoma has?"

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TEACH U. S. HISTORY

Oxford University to Have Chair With American Professor.

Mount Rothermere offers \$100,000 Endowment in Memory of His Dead Son.

Lord Rothermere has given the University of Oxford £100,000 for the establishment and endowment of a professorship of history of the United States of America, which will be held by the Hon. Sir John S. Parnham, a professor of American history in the University of London.

Under the conditions of the endowment the holder of the professorship must be a citizen of the United States. He shall hold the professorship for ten years and shall be eligible for appointment for another ten years.

The appointment shall be made by an electoral board consisting of the American ambassador at the time of the election, who shall have a casting vote; the chancellor of the university; an elector nominated by the university; and Lord Rothermere, and a succeeding holder of the chair.

Lord Rothermere has endowed two other professorships at English universities. In 1910 he gave £20,000 to Cambridge university for the foundation of the King Edward VII chair of English literature, and in 1918 he gave a similar sum to Cambridge as an endowment fund for the Vere Harmsworth professorship of naval history, in memory of his second son, who was killed in the battle of the Ancre.

The Joyce Stores are making a special sale of China during the month of August. They have also received a new stock of rugs. Special bargains in every department during the month.

A three months' subscription to The Star for \$1.50.

BELGIUM'S PRINCESS



A photo of Princess Marie Jose, the beautiful daughter of King Albert of Belgium, a striking young figure in the courts of Europe.

Modern Morals.

Lady Duff Gordon said at a tea at the Ritz:

"There are young women who would rather be ultra-fashionable than anything else. In their eyes nothing matters but that."

"Two young women were lunching when a third young woman passed in the company of an elderly married pair."

"There goes Maud," murmured the first young woman. "They say that she and old Mr. Goldie spent the weekend at Atlantic City together."

"Oh!" said the second young woman in shocked tones. "Oh, what a libel on poor Maud! You know you couldn't drag her with wild horses to such a vulgar, common resort as Atlantic City."

Fingers With Only One Joint.

Dr. C. F. Oddie reports to the archives of radiology and electrotherapy (London) the case of a boy of fourteen whose fingers have only one joint. His mother had similar hands, as have four of her nine children, the fingers of the five others being normal.

F. D. Thayer, optometrist (20 years active practice), Fairchild building, 245 Main street, phone 697-W. Scientific examination of the eyes. Spectacles and eye-glasses accurately fitted. Everything the very latest in lenses, frames and mountings. advt

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

FRANKLIN LOCALETTES.

Franklin, Aug. 9.—The Franklin W. C. T. U. will hold an ice cream social Wednesday evening at the Methodist church parlors. Judge L. F. Raymond is in New York on business for a few days. Howard Raymond is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Raymond, for a few weeks. Dr. and Mrs. Walter Tumeson and two sons, of Orange, N. J., are guests of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Warren for the month. Mrs. Agnes Strong of Little Valley is visiting Mrs. Asa Strong. Mr. and Mrs. Good and two children of Boston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Niles. G. Frank Sawson has purchased the interest of his partner, Carroll Hodges, in the Franklin market, and is now the sole proprietor. Mrs. Wells Gibbons has returned to Binghamton after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Charles Bennett. Mrs. E. W. Harris of Los Angeles, California, was a recent guest of Mrs. W. C. Alexander. At the annual meeting of the board of education Tuesday evening, J. B. Warner was re-elected president, George R. Martin clerk, A. F. Austin treasurer, George M. Chamberlain assistant officer and janitor and Fred A. Niles collector. George T. Coxhead, secretary of the international committee of the Y. M. C. A. spoke in the Methodist church Sunday morning. Mrs. Isabella Dexter of Peterboro with her son, F. S. Dexter, and granddaughter, Miss Virginia Dexter, of Binghamton, have gone to Canada to visit Montreal, Ottawa, and many other points of interest. Mrs. Dexter's former home was in Franklin. Baroness E. A. VanOldersneel and her son, Baron VanOldersneel, are visiting her sister, Mrs. V. E. Root.

Former Academy Teacher Weds.

The marriage of Miss Agnes Jones and Ransom Eckerson took place in Chicago on July 23. Mr. and Mrs. Eckerson went to Denver, Colorado, where they will spend a month's honeymoon trip. The bride will be remembered here by many friends as a teacher of music in Delaware academy for the past two years.

Pastor Has Narrow Escape.

Rev. A. M. Forrester, until recently pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Delhi, and family, narrowly escaped death near Saratoga Springs last week. With their automobile stalled on the railroad tracks near the Getzer crossing, directly in the path of an on-coming train, the Rev. Forrester, his wife, and three other friends jumped to safety, while in the next instant the stalled auto was badly smashed. The Forresters at present reside in Binghamton and with friends were on their way to Montreal.

AUTO RACE CALLED OFF.

Nearly 4,000 Are Disappointed at Delhi's Field Day Events.

Delhi, Aug. 9.—Last Saturday afternoon between 3,000 and 4,000 people assembled on the Delhi fair grounds, drawn thither chiefly to witness a 10-mile race between an Essex and a Buick car. A driver for the Essex car came from Binghamton by air, the plane landing on the county farm. During the first time around the half mile track the Buick suffered a broken steering gear. Another Buick was sent for, but on account of cold feet of some of the parties or other causes which do not seem very clear, the race was called off—much to the disappointment of the large crowd. The minor events on the program—consisting of races between local horses, another auto race, etc., were completed.

Death of Mrs. Frank A. Leal. Margaret Harkness, wife of Frank

A. Leal, died at her home on Delaware avenue shortly before 6 o'clock on Saturday evening after a long illness. Mrs. Leal was operated upon in the early spring for appendicitis and this only afforded temporary relief, she gradually growing worse and finally passed away from cancer of the stomach. A woman much beloved by everyone in the community, always ready to lend a hand in all of the church and social affairs, she will be greatly missed. She was the daughter of the late James Harkness and Euphemia Howard, who resides in New York. The funeral will be held Tuesday at 1 o'clock, old time, from the late home.

For Sale.

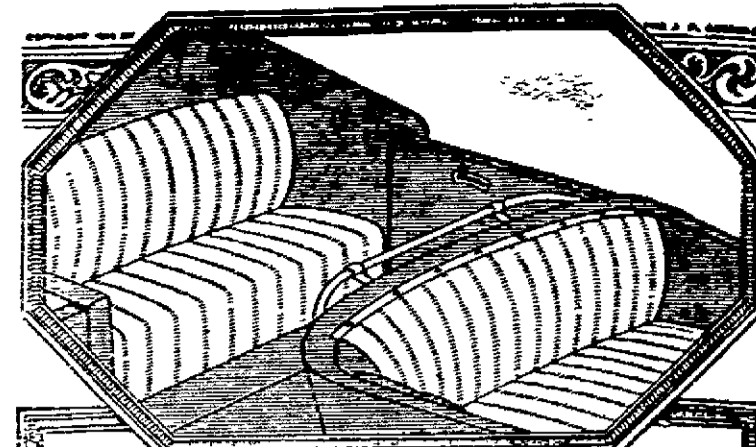
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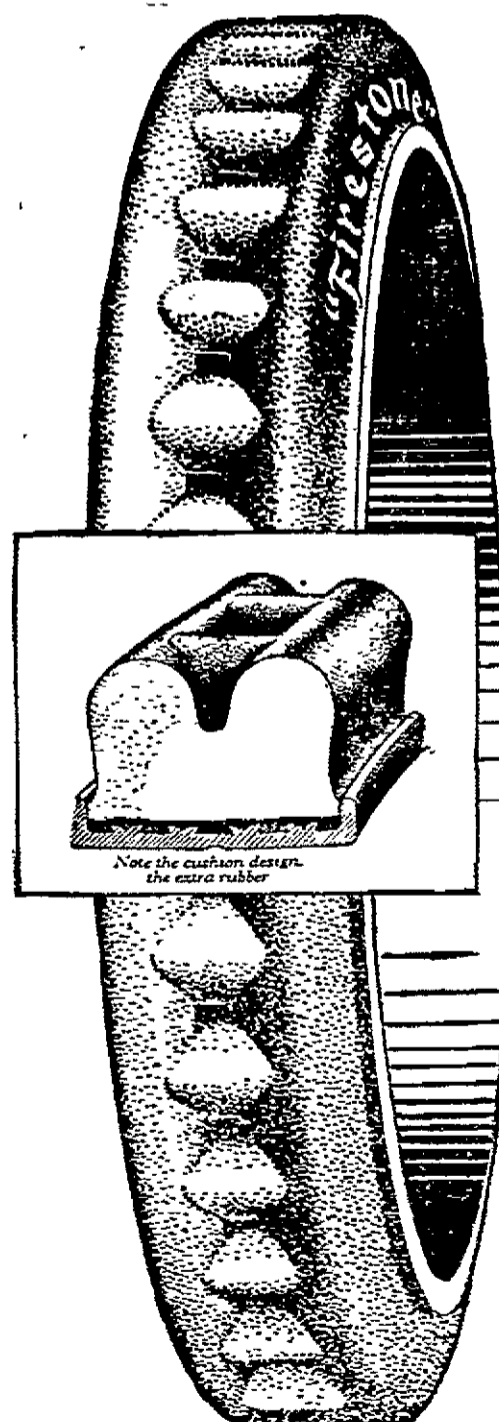
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